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In re U.S. Patent Application of)
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For: OPTICAL DISC DRIVE APPARATUS WITH AN)
INDIRECT SEMICONDUCTOR LASER CONTAINING)
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RESPONSE AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on September 14, 2007, the Notice of Appeal filed on December 14, 2007, and the telephone interview with the Examiners conducted on February 7, 2008, the period of response to which is set to expire on February 14, 2008, with the filing of RCE. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: